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SUBJECT: CAIRO PRESS REPORTS BAKDASH'S REAPPEARANCE IN DAMASCUS

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AHRAM JANUARY 12 REPORTS FROM ITS SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT IN DAMASCUS THAT SYRIAN CP HEAD KHALID BAKDASH HAS RETURNED TO DAMASCUS AFTER SECRETLY AND ILLEGALLY LEAVING COUNTRY TO ATTEND COMMUNIST PARTY CONFERENCE IN HAVANA. SYRIAN AUTHORITIES HAD DENIED BAKDASH'S DEPARTURE FROM SYRIA, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IN AHRAM (REFTEL). ACCORDING TO JANUARY 12 ARTICLE, MILITARY COURT HAS SENTENCED SECURITY DIRECTOR AND IMMIGRATION DIRECTOR OF DAMASCUS AIRPORT TO 45 DAYS IN PRISON FOR FACILITATING BAKDASH'S DEPARTURE.
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